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# **Mechanical Contractor Licensing Exam Reference Materials**

The following is a list of suggested reading material that may assist you in studying for the Examination.

#### Law

1. Public Act 192 of 1984, Forbes Mechanical Contractors Act

May be obtained from: Michigan Department of Labor & Economic Growth, Bureau of Construction Codes & Fire Safety, P.O. Box 30255, Lansing, MI 48909

Cost: \$2.50

2. Licensing Examination Procedures

May be obtained from: Same as #1

Cost: No charge

3. Public Act 230 of 1972, as amended, State construction Code Act

May be obtained from: Same as #1

Cost: \$2.50

The above information is also available on our web site – www.michigan.gov/bccfs

# **Hydronic Heating and Cooling and Process Piping**

1. 2003 Michigan Mechanical Code and 2003 Michigan Residential Code\*\*

May be purchased from: Michigan Department of Labor & Economic Growth, Bureau of Construction Codes & Fire Safety, P. O. Box 30255, Lansing, MI 48909

2. Guide 2000 "Installation/Design of Residential Heating System" 2000 Edition

May be purchased from: Hydronics Institute, 35 Russo Place, P. O. Box 218, Berkley Heights, NJ 07922 (908) 464-8200, FAX (908) 464-7818.

## **HVAC Equipment**

1. 2003 Michigan Mechanical Code and 2003 Michigan Residential Code\*\*

May be purchased from: Michigan Department of Labor & Economic Growth, Bureau of Construction Codes & Fire Safety, P. O. Box 30255, Lansing, MI 48909

2. SMACNA (Sheet Metal & Air Conditioning Contractors' National Association) Standard "HVAC Systems - Testing, Adjusting and Balancing" latest edition

May be purchased from: SMACNA, 3221 W. Big Beaver, Suite #305, Troy, MI 48084 (248) 649-5450

3. ACCA Manual D-1995, Duct Design for Residential Winter and Summer Air Conditioning and Equipment Selection

May be purchased from: ACCA, 2800 Shirlington Rd., Suite 300, Arlington VA 22206 (703) 575-4477 Fax (703) 575-4449

4 ACCA Manual J-1987

May be purchased from: Same as #3

- 5. SMACNA (Sheet Metal and Air Conditioning Contractors National Association), Standard "HVAC Systems Testing, Adjusting and Balancing", 1993 or latest edition
- 6. SMACNA, Standard "HVAC Duct Construction Standards-Metal and Flexible", 1995

7. SMACNA, Standard "Fibrous Duct Construction Standards", 1992

May be purchased from: Same as #2

- 8. Any service manuals available from most book stores (Heating & Refrigeration and Air Conditioning Service)
- 9. International Fuel Gas Code 2003

May be purchased from: International Code Council, 4051 W. Flossmoor Road, Country Club Hills, IL 60478-5795 1-888-422-7233

#### **Ductwork**

1. 2003 Michigan Mechanical Code and 2003 Michigan Residential Code\*\*

May be purchased from: Michigan Department of Labor & Economic Growth, Bureau of Construction Codes & Fire Safety, PO Box 30255, Lansing, MI 48909

2. ACCA (Air Conditioning Contractors of America) Manual D-1995, Duct Design for Residential Winter and Summer Air Conditioning and Equipment Selection

May be purchased from: ACCA, 2800 Shirlington Rd., Suite 300, Arlington, VA 22206 (703) 575-4477 Fax (703) 575-4449

3. ACCA Manual J-1987

May be purchased from: Same as #2

- 4. SMACNA (Sheet Metal and Air Conditioning Contractors National Association), Standard "HVAC Systems Testing, Adjusting and Balancing", 1993 or latest edition
- 5. SMACNA, Standard "HVAC Duct Construction Standards-Metal and Flexible", 1995
- 6. SMACNA, Standard "Fibrous Duct Construction Standards", 1992.

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### Refrigeration

- 1. 2003 Michigan Mechanical Code and 2003 Michigan Residential Code\*\*
  - May be purchased from: Michigan Department of Labor & Economic Growth, Bureau of construction Codes & Fire Safety, P. O. Box 30255, Lansing, MI 48909
- 2. ASHRAE (American Society of Heating, Refrigerating and Air-Conditioning Engineers, Inc.) Standard 15-2001, "Safety Code for Mechanical Refrigeration"

May be purchased from: ASHRAE, Inc., 1791 Tullie Circle NE, Atlanta, GA 30329

## **Limited Heating Service**

- 1. 2003 Michigan Mechanical Code and 2003 Michigan Residential Code\*\*
  - May be purchased from: Michigan Department of Labor & Economic Growth, Bureau of Construction Codes & Fire Safety, P. O. Box 30255, Lansing, MI 48909
- 2. Any service manuals available from most book stores

#### **Unlimited Heating Service**

- 1. 2003 Michigan Mechanical Code and 2003 Michigan Residential Code\*\*
  - May be purchased from: Michigan Department of Labor & Economic Growth, Bureau of Construction Codes & Fire Safety, P.O. Box 30255, Lansing, MI 48909
- 2. Any service manuals available from most book stores

#### **Limited Refrigeration and Air Conditioning Service**

- 1. 2003 Michigan Mechanical Code and 2003 Michigan Residential Code\*\*
  - May be purchased from: Michigan Department of Labor & Economic Growth, Bureau of Construction Codes & Fire Safety, PO Box 30255, Lansing, MI 48909
- 2. Any standard service manuals available from most book stores

### **Unlimited Refrigeration and Air Conditioning Service**

1. 2003 Michigan Mechanical code and 2003 Michigan Residential Code\*\*

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2. Any standard service manuals available from most book stores

## **Fire Suppression**

1. 2003 Michigan Mechanical Code and 2003 Michigan Residential Code\*\*

May be purchased from: Michigan Department of Labor & Economic Growth, Bureau of Construction Codes & Fire Safety, P. O. Box 30255, Lansing, MI 48909

2. NFiPA (National Fire Protection Association) Standard 13-1996, NFiPA 13-D and NFiPA-13R-1996, "Installation of Sprinkler Systems"

May be purchased from: National Fire Protection Association, Battery March Park, Quincy, MA 02269-9990. 1-800-344-3555

### SPECIALTY CLASSIFICATIONS

#### **Solid Fuel**

1. 2003 Michigan Mechanical Code and 2003 Michigan Residential Code\*\*

May be purchased from: Michigan Department of Labor & Economic Growth, Bureau of Construction Codes & Fire Safety, P. O. Box 30255, Lansing, MI 48909

2. NFiPA (National Fire Protection Association) Standard 211-2000, "Chimneys, Fireplaces, Vents and Solid Fuel Burning Appliances"

May be purchased from: National Fire Protection Association, Battery March Park, Quincy, MA 02269-9990. 1-800-344-3555

#### Solar

1. 2003 Michigan Mechanical Code and 2003 Michigan Residential Code\*\*

May be purchased from: Michigan Department of Labor & Economic Growth, Bureau of Construction Codes & Fire Safety, P. O. Box 30255, Lansing, MI 48909

#### Gas Piping/Gas Piping & Venting

1. 2003 Michigan Mechanical Code and 2003 Michigan Residential Code\*\*

May be purchased from: Michigan Department of Labor & Economic Growth, Bureau of Construction Codes & Fire Safety, P. O. Box 30255, Lansing, MI 48909

2. International Fuel Gas Code 2003

May be purchased from: International Code Council, 4051 West Flossmoor Rd., Country Club Hills, IL 60478-5795. (800) 214-4321

## L. P. Tank & Pipe

1. 2003 Michigan Mechanical Code and 2003 Michigan Residential Code\*\*

May be purchased from: Michigan Department of Labor & Economic Growth, Bureau of Construction Codes & Fire Safety, P. O. Box 30255, Lansing, MI 48909

2. NFiPA (National Fire Protection Association) Standard 58-2001, "LP Gas Code".

May be purchased from: National Fire Protection Association, Battery March Park, Quincy, MA 02269-9990. 1-800-344-3555

## **Underground Tank & Pipe**

2. 2003 Michigan Mechanical Code and 2003 Michigan Residential Code\*\*

May be purchased from: Michigan Department of Labor & Economic Growth, Bureau of Construction Codes & Fire Safety, P. O. Box 30255, Lansing, MI 48909

3. International Fire Code 2003

May be purchased from: National Fire Protection Association, Battery March Park, Quincy, MA 02269-9990. 1-800-344-3555

# **Additional Reference Materials**

1. Construction Lien Recovery Fund Consumer Guide

May be obtained by calling 517-241-9241

2. Michigan Occupational Safety and Health Act (MIOSHA)

May be obtained by calling 517-322-1845

Although questions on these two publications are not included on the exam, the information contained in them will be very beneficial when performing mechanical work